

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

March 9, 2005

IN RE:

**PETITION OF TENNESSEE WASTEWATER SYSTEMS, INC.
TO EXPAND ITS SERVICE AREA TO INCLUDE A PORTION
OF SEVIER COUNTY, TENNESSEE, KNOWN AS TENNESSEE
STATE BANK – WEARS VALLEY BRANCH**

**DOCKET NO.
05-00042**


ORDER APPOINTING A HEARING OFFICER

This matter came before Chairman Pat Miller, Director Sara Kyle and Director Ron Jones of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the “Authority”), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on February 28, 2005, for consideration of the Petition of Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc. to expand its service area to include a portion of Sevier County, Tennessee, known as Tennessee State Bank – Wears Valley Branch filed on January 25, 2005. During the Authority Conference, the panel voted unanimously to appoint the Authority’s General Counsel or his designee to act as the Hearing Officer in this proceeding to hear preliminary matters prior to the Hearing and to set a procedural schedule to completion.

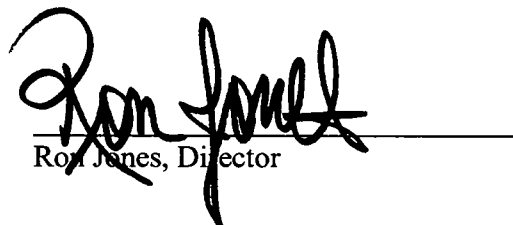
IT IS SO ORDERED.



Pat Miller, Chairman



Sara Kyle, Director



Ron Jones, Director